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## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and
Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed February
12, 2002 finally rejecting pending claims 3,4 and 92 in the
above-identified application.

Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for Three-Month
Extension of Time. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is being
timely filed.

The required fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) for filing a
Notice of Appeal for a small entity is ONE HUNDRED SIXTY DOLLARS
($160.00), and a check for this amount is enclosed.

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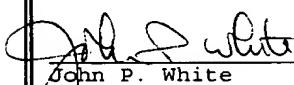Serial No.: CPA of 08/813,323
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No fee, other than the enclosed $160.00 fee, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Notice of Appeal. However, if an additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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